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The Morton Grove Public Library is a beehive of activity where you will find library users of all ages. Inside the Library, people are building their careers/ businesses, developing skills, learning new information, recreating, relaxing, and doing countless other things using library resources in a variety of formats.

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Coming soon to a business near you…September is Library Card Sign-Up Month, and the Morton Grove Public Library wants to make sure you're a part of it! To celebrate this most exciting time of the year (at least for those of us at the Checkout Desk), MGPL has partnered with local businesses who will provide discounts and/or free gifts to all Morton Grove Public Library card holders throughout September – just show your library card! Keep an eye on our website or at the Checkout Desk for more information, appearing soon. If you are a Morton Grove business and would like to participate in the September program, contact Rosetta Metz, Community Outreach Coordinator at 847-929-5120 or rmetz@webrary.org. If you don't already have a library card, NOW is the perfect time to sign up!

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Ben Schapiro: From the Director's Desk

Summer Sizzles at MGPL

Did you know that July is the Library's busiest month? From concerts and movies to crafts and book groups, we have lots of activities to fill the days. One of my personal favorites is the Lego workshop on August 6 at 2 and 3 pm, presented by Legoland Discovery Center.

This year's Library Challenge, *One World, Many Stories,* is in full swing. There are programs in the Library Challenge for every age group, including adults. For details, check out the article on page 3, go online at the Library's homepage, or just stop in to sign up.

You can keep up on all our exciting summer programs at MGPL online by logging on to the Event Calendar on the Library home page: **www. webrary.org**.

And speaking of the home page . . . www.webrary.org is the portal to all of our online resources and information about your library. We're pleased to announce the coming of an all-new, better-designed website. You'll have better access to what is going on at the Library, find the information you need, and we'll be able to expand the services the Library can offer over the Internet. The expected roll-out date is October-November of 2011. I'll keep you updated as the project goes forward.

Urban garden set to bloom: More than 60 adults and children came to the Library on June 21 to plant a demonstration garden in temporary beds on the front lawn. With plants chosen to represent the various cultures living in Morton Grove, the garden will fit our multicultural population. And, the garden fits nicely with our Summer Library Challenge theme, *One World, Many Stories.*

Thanks to the several Girl Scout and Boy Scout troops, the Niles West Garden Club, Campfire Kids, and many residents who helped with Planting Day. They'll continue to maintain the garden through the summer. Have a green thumb or just want to help? We welcome your participation in our newest green project.

In keeping with the Library's mission of education, programming and book displays are planned around the garden emphasizing local food, gardening techniques, nutrition, and green literacy.

Many thanks to the garden sponsors who are covering the cost of beds and plants: Avon, MB Financial, and Creative Promotional Products. Keep up with the garden's progress at **http://mgcommunityoutreach.blogspot.com**.

Friends group continues to support the Library, elects new officers: A hearty welcome to Liz Diaz, the new President of the Friends of the Morton Grove Public Library, and to Larry Levin, Vice President of FMGPL. The Friends have been staunch supporters of the Library and its mission.

Diseased trees come down: Sadly, the Library lost two trees to disease last month. Both the evergreen on the west side and one of the maples in front had been showing signs of disease for several years. This spring, they came down on the recommendation of several arborists. Given the recent high winds, it is doubtful either would have survived.

Wishing you a happy, interesting, and energetic summer!

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"We use the Library several times a week. It has been instrumental in the education of both of our daughters who love the Library, love reading, and are in advanced courses in their respective grade levels. If you want Illinois children to read, support and promote our libraries."

—Library User

The Library Board of Trustees

Left to right: Arthur Goldstein, Daniel Hoffman, Christa Quinn, Mark Albers, Catherine Peters, David Calimag, Paul Berg.

Friends (FMGPL) Welcomes New Leadership

Liz Diaz
President of FMGPL

The Friends of the Morton Grove Public Library (FMGPL) is a non-profit group of Library users who volunteer their time and energy to establish closer relations between the Library and the Morton Grove community. The Friends increase awareness of Library services, promote educational and fun events in support of the Library, and organize and manage fundraising events such as book sales.

Please join us in welcoming the Friends' new President, Liz Diaz, and new Vice President, Larry Levin. They are eager to grow the Friends' membership and increase the group's contribution to the success of the Library.

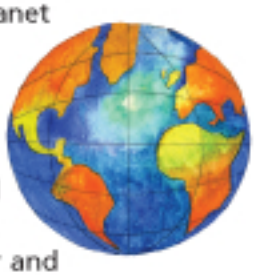
In the past year, FMGPL donated a flat screen TV and tablet computers for demonstration and training. Recently, they donated a game console for Teen Services.

The Friends group manages the Book Sale corner, and you're encouraged to donate your recent fiction and nonfiction adult and children's books. "Like" the Friends on Facebook and follow them on Twitter.com/FMGPL.

Morton Grove Farmers Market

The Library will be at the Morton Grove Farmers' Market every Saturday through October 15, from 8 am to 1 pm. The Market is located at 8930 Waukegan Road in Morton Grove. The Library will have various activities each weekend. Stop by our table and say hello!

One World, Many Stories



Everyone on the planet has a story; we all share one world. Join us in learning about the many stories of the world around us. There is still time to register and get started on the 2011 Summer Library Challenge; it runs until July 31.

For children from birth up to grade 6: Visit the Library weekly to participate in age-appropriate games and activities. After two visits, all children will get an MGPL Summer Library Challenge T-shirt, and participants who complete six out of eight weeks will be invited to the pool party at the end of the Challenge. All participants may enter the drawing for a Children's Book of the Month Club membership. More details will be available at registration.

For teens and adults: Keep track of the items you check out of MGPL and programs you attend at the Library. When you complete eight items, you'll receive an aluminum MGPL sports bottle (while supplies last). You'll also earn entries for the drawings at the end of the Challenge. Adults can enter the drawing for either a Sony pocket edition eReader or the adult Book of the Month Club membership. Teens will earn a T-shirt after completing four items and an aluminum MGPL sports bottle after eight items (while supplies last). Teens may also enter a drawing for one of three $50 gift cards to GameStop, or the Teen Book of the Month Club membership. More details will be available at registration.

Three Grand Prize Memberships to the MGPL Book of the Month Club: The Challenge officially ends on July 31, and there will be a drawing for three grand prizes: Book of the Month Club memberships for children, teens, or adults. Winning will entitle you to a free book every month for a year. You will meet with a librarian to determine what subjects or genres of books you would like to receive each month.

VOLUNTEER AT THE GLOBAL GARDEN

A new, edible garden project at the Morton Grove Public Library

Avon, MB Financial, and Creative Promotional Products are sponsoring the garden.

Volunteers are needed to tend the garden and to help grow the herbs and vegetables. The plants selected for the garden are favorites of the many cultures represented in the Morton Grove community and complement the theme of the Summer Library Challenge, *One World, Many Stories.*

Through the development of the global garden, the Library is promoting green literacy and healthy eating. Watch for upcoming programs related to the garden and ways to improve nutrition and prevent obesity, diabetes, and heart disease.

If you are interested in volunteering your time in the Library garden, please contact Rosetta Metz, Head of Outreach, PR, and Programming, at 847-929-5120 or rmetz@webrary.org.

Many thanks to our sponsors.

Registration Classes

Summer Session:
June 21 –
August 11.
Register online at:
calendar.webrary.org,
at YS Desk, or
call 847-929-5102.

Library Playtime

2-Year-Olds & Parents or Caregivers
Thursdays, 10:30 am
Class limit – 12 children, 12 parents

Preschool Storytime

Ages 3 – Kindergarten
Wednesdays, 10:30 am OR 1 pm
Class limit – 30

Morton Grove Explorers

Grade K, 1, and 2
Tuesdays, 6:30 pm
An active story time filled with surprises each week.
Class limit: 15

Moovin' and Groovin' for ages 2–4

Sat., July 2, and Sat., Aug. 6, 10 am
Do you have a toddler who likes to dance? Come join the YS staff in this fun, physical activity class that includes music, dancing, marching, musical instruments, parachute games and creative movement. Reg. req.
Class size 12.

Kindergarten Rocks!

Choose ONE session:
Tues., Aug. 16, OR
Mon., Aug. 22, 6:30–7:30 pm
Starting school is exciting. Starting kindergarten is more than exciting. It ROCKS! School is starting soon and for kindergartners the fun is about to begin. We'll celebrate this big step with stories, songs, dancing and snacks. Registration required. Limited to 15 kindergartners per session.

Collection of School Supplies for Niles Township Food Pantry

July 1 – Aug. 14
Schools' supply lists are extensive, and supplies are expensive to purchase. Families with more than one child have an unusually heavy burden getting their children ready for the school year.

Children should not have to worry about having their needs met for school. A list of suggested supplies is posted on our website: **www.webrary.org/school_supplies11.pdf.** Drop off your donations in the shopping cart in Youth Services. Thanks for your support.

Language Stars Presents: *A Sweet Celebration of Foreign Languages and Cultures* Ages 4–8

Thurs., July, 7 & 14, 6:30 pm
(Activity Room)

Language Stars®

A delicious dessert and a fun introduction to a new foreign language each week will be served up in this innovative language program for kids presented by the gifted experts at Language Stars. Your child will experience "FunImmersion" in Italian (July 7) and Mandarin Chinese (July 14). They will learn how to say "please" and "thank you" for their sweet reward—a dessert from each country. Join us for one week or sign up for both. Registration is required.

Bicycle Party

Sat., July 2, 2 pm!
(Back Parking Lot)

Get ready for the 4th of July with our Bicycle Party! Decorate your bike in red, white, and blue style. Learn bicycle safety tips and even figure out what those crazy gears do. Don't forget your helmet!

Kids Flicks

Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Rodrick Rules
(2011, PG, 100 min.)
Fri., July 8, 4 pm

Back in middle school after summer vacation, Greg Heffley and his older brother Rodrick must deal with their parents' misguided attempts to have them bond.

***Rango* (2011, PG, 107 min.)**
Fri., Aug.12, 4 pm

Rango, a kooky pet chameleon, accidentally winds up in the gritty, gun-slinging town of Dirt, a lawless outpost populated by the desert's most wily and whimsical creatures. Welcomed as the last hope the town has been waiting for, new Sheriff Rango is forced to play his new role to the hilt, until he starts to become the hero he once only pretended to be.

Wildlife Discovery Center Presents: Meet Nature Eye to Eye

Sat. July 9
2 pm
(Baxter Room)

Come meet a variety of reptiles, turtles, alligators, crocodiles and birds up close, and learn about their habitats and other fun natural history facts. If you are an animal lover, this show is for you.

Word Magic: A Poetry Workshop: Ages 9 & Up

Wed., July 13, 20, & 27, 6:30 pm
(Activity Room)

Come play with words, draw pictures and have some treats with Renée Miller, certified English teacher and poetry guru. During this workshop you will have fun creating poetry and learning tricks for creating word magic of your own. Sign up for one or all of the workshops. Registration is required.

"The Library is awesome because I get help from the librarians when I need help. I go on the computer when mine crashes. The Library is awesome."

—Library User

Drop-In Classes

Monday Morning Playgroup
10:30–11:30 am
Tots of all ages and their parents or caregivers can gather at the Youth Services Library to meet new friends, play and have lots of fun in our activity room.

Drama Club
Will return Friday, Sept. 2 at 4:30 pm.

Knitting Club
MONDAYS, 4–5 pm
No registration required. Bring a project or learn a new one. Ages 6 & up.

Listen Up!
Drop-in storytime for preschool children and their caregivers. TUESDAYS, at 10 am. Children hear stories and songs, interact in a group and do a craft.

Wee Read Lapsit Program
For ages 0–24 months. Hear songs and stories and enjoy playtime FRIDAYS at 11 am. Also offered on the third SATURDAY, July 16 and August 20 at 10 am.

Family Chess and Brain Games
First TUESDAYS
July 5 and Aug. 2; 4–5:30 pm.
The Chess Club has expanded to include Brain Games. Join us for Family Chess as well as games.

Pokemon Club
Third TUESDAYS
July 19 and Aug. 16, 4:30–5:30 pm
Calling all Pokemon fans! Play the Pokemon trading card game with other Pokemon players. Trade cards with other members to collect more Pokemon and to strengthen your decks. Participants MUST have their own decks and MUST know how to play the Pokemon trading card game. No registration required. All ages. Note: MGPL requires children under 8 to be accompanied by an adult caregiver.

Crafty Saturday
Second SATURDAYS
July 9 and Aug. 13, 10 am – 4 pm while supplies last.
Drop in to the YS Dept. to make a seasonal craft.

Video Game Day!

Wed., July 20, 1–3 pm
Wed., July 27, 1–3 pm
Wed., Aug. 3, 1–3 pm
Wed., Aug. 10, 1–3 pm
Wed., Aug. 17, 1–3 pm

All ages are invited to come play video games. Test out our *new* Xbox 360 with Kinect, play games on the Wii, or rock out with PlayStation! The Xbox 360 equipment is a generous gift from the Friends of the Library.

Spilled Ink: A Creative Writing Workshop for Grades 3–5

Sat. July 23, & Aug. 6, at 10:30 am (Baxter Room)

Do you like to tell stories? Do you like to play games? Then these writing workshops are for you! Join us for creative fun while we use theater games and activities to inspire your writing. Learn how to move like a monster, feel like a lizard, and dream like a giant, and then write all about it in a fabulous story you can share. Grades 3–6. Registration is required.

MORE YOUTH PROGRAMS →

Young Artists Workshop: Tree of Life Project

Sat., July 23, 2 pm to 4:30 pm, ages 8 and Up (Activity Room)

Professional Illustrator Terri Murphy will explore the universal symbolic image of the Tree of Life. This popular motif can be found in many cultures in Mexico, Africa, Israel, and Haiti – to name a few. Children will be shown some examples of Tree of Life images from around the world, and will then work on a Tree of Life art collage of their very own. The project will use torn paper, decoupage, and lots of fun colors. Ms. Murphy will teach the children how color choice can impact what shapes come forward, recede and pop. Come join the fun! Registration is required.

LegoLand Discovery Center Presents: Legopalooza

Sat., Aug. 6, 2 pm, Ages 4–7; 3 pm, Ages 7–12 (Baxter Room)

LegoLand comes to the Library with this fun, hands-on Lego extravaganza. There will be instructional workshops with Legoland's own Master Builders where children will learn to build small models, a tall tower, a throne, and a bridge. There will also be independent play options if your child just wants to build something creative. Space is limited to 30 children each hour. Registration is required.

Glenview Martial Arts and Fitness Presents: Little Dragons Taekwondo for Ages 3–5

Sat., Aug. 27, 10 am (Activity Room)

The experts at Glenview Martial Arts and Fitness will be giving a special sample of their Taekwondo class for ages 3–5, teaching focus, balance, respect and advancing the fitness and confidence of your child. This is a wonderful opportunity to try something fun, exciting and healthy.

38th Annual Children's Art Contest

Entries will be accepted through Sun., Aug. 7, 2011, at 5 pm. Winning entries will be displayed in the Baxter Room in September, then on the east stairwell leading down to the Youth Services Department for one year. Prizes will be awarded in each of four categories (2011–2012 school year):

- Pre K
- Grades K–1
- Grades 2–4
- Grades 5–6

Mr. E Presents: Magic Puppets and Stories from around the World

Thurs., July 28, 7 pm (Baxter Room)

Join teacher and performer Mr. E and his cast of puppet characters as they take you on an imaginary journey around the world. You will hear stories from China, France, Italy and more. Along with magic, puppetry, lots of audience participation, and laughs galore, this will be a wonderful show for the whole family.

Wired Teen Zone

Jill Wehrheim, Young Adult Librarian

Welcome to the Wired Teen Zone! Are you a 7th–12th grader looking for something to do with your friends? Check out these fun programs! If you like to cook, read, perform, learn, craft, or have fun, we have great programs for YOU!

Teen Library Council (TLC) Meeting

Tues., July 5, 7 pm
Tues., Aug. 2, 7 pm
Get involved in the Library, meet other teens, and earn volunteer service hours! Snacks and drinks will be provided.

"At home, I have to share the laptop and desktop so it is nice to not have to wait to check my e-mails."
—Library User

Movie Bingo: *Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows, Part I*

Wed., July 6, 4–6:30 pm
Before the final Harry Potter movie comes out in theaters, watch *Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows, Part 1* and play movie bingo! Snacks will be provided. For teens 7th grade and up.

Video Game Day!

Wed., July 20, 1–3 pm
Wed., July 27, 1–3 pm
Wed., Aug. 3, 1–3 pm
Wed., Aug. 10, 1–3 pm
Wed., Aug. 17, 1–3 pm
See details on page 5.

Speed Book Dating

Thurs., July 21, 3–4 pm
Looking for a good book? Come to the Library, spend a few minutes with a lot of books, and decide which ones you like best.

Tunes on Tuesday

Tues., July 19, 7 pm
Location: Pavilion Area at the north end of Harrer Park, 6520 W. Dempster Street, Morton Grove
Join us at the Morton Grove Park District concert. Wear your Summer Library Challenge T-shirt to the concert and receive a treat from Dairy Queen!

Improv Club

Mon., July 25, 7–8:30 pm
Wed., Aug. 17, 7–8:30 pm
Do you like to perform? Play fun improvisational games up on stage! Not a fan of the spotlight? Come watch and give scene suggestions! No experience needed.

Teen Trivia Competition

Tues., July 26, 4–5 pm
You asked; we made it! Thanks to a suggestion during a Teen Library Council meeting, at this new program you can compete against other teens to find out who knows more trivia on a variety of subjects!

Gettin' Saucy Teen Cooking Class

Wed., July 27, 6 pm: reg. opens 7/13
Wed., Aug. 24, 6 pm: reg. opens 8/10

Learn to prepare delicious food! There is room for eight chefs; reserve your spot today! Registration is required.

Famished for Fiction

Tues., Aug. 9, 3 pm
Hear about some of the best new teen books and share your favorites with other teens! Snacks will be provided.

Teen Screens *Despicable Me* (2010, PG, 95 min.)

Wed., Aug. 10, 4–6 pm
Teen Library Council members chose this fun, animated film. Join us and watch it with other teens! Snacks will be provided.

Mango Club

Mon., Aug. 15, 7 pm
Want to learn a new language? Come to Mango Club! Hang out with other teens, eat snacks, and learn words in a foreign language to impress your friends and family.

DIY CRAFT

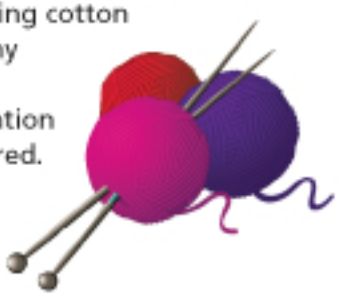
Quilled Jewelry

Sat., July 2, 1 pm

Learn how to make cool and unique jewelry with just paper and glue! Instructions and supplies are provided. Registration is required.

Knitting

Sat., Aug. 13, 1 pm
Bring a project or learn basic knitting skills! Supplies needed: one pair of knitting needles, size 8, and one skein (8 oz.) of knitting cotton yarn, any color. Registration is required.



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CHILDREN & FAMILIES TEENS ADULTS

**Registration required*

Every Monday at 10:30–11:30am:
Monday Morning Playgroup for all ages
Every Monday at 3 pm:
Adult Knitting Club
Every Monday at 4 pm:
Youth Services Knitting Club

Date & Time	Free Programs
1 Fr. 1-3 pm	Fuzzies and Fluffies: Art for Adults*
2 Sa. 10 am	Moovin' and Groovin' (Toddlers)*
2 Sa. 2 pm	DIY Crafts: Quilled Jewelry*
2 Sa. 2 pm	Bicycle Party
3 Su.	CLOSED for Independence Day
4 Mo.	CLOSED for Independence Day
5 Tu.11:30am	All about Alpacas presented by Kris Bougie
5 Tu. 4-5:30pm	Family Chess and Brain Games
5 Tu. 7 pm	Teen Library Council (TLC) Meeting
6 We. 1 pm	Senior Center Book Talk: Nonfiction for Fiction Readers, North Shore Senior Center in Morton Grove, 6140 Dempster St.
6 We. 2 pm	Getting Started on Facebook*
6 We. 4 pm	Movie Bingo: *Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows, Part 1*
7 Th. 6:30 pm	Language Stars Present: A Sweet Celebration of Foreign Language and Cultures (Ages 4-8): reg. req.
7 Th. 7 pm	Twitter 101*
8 Fr. 1 pm	Film: *True Grit*
8 Fr. 4 pm	Kids Flicks: *Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Rodrick Rules*
9 Sa. 10-4 pm	Craft Saturday
9 Sa. 2 pm	Wildlife Discovery Center Presents: Meet Nature Eye to Eye
10 Su. 2 pm	Concert by Musica Latina
11 Mo. 7 pm	Tech Savvy Monday: An Introduction to eReaders*
12 Tu. 11:30 am	Film: *Louisa May Alcott: The Woman Behind "Little Women"*
12 Tu 2 pm	Workforce Investment Act (WIA) Orientation: reg. req. to register call 847-981-7400 or go to: http://www.worknetncc.com
13 We. 2 pm	Film: *The Pillars of the Earth, Episodes 1 & 2*
13 We. 2 pm	Web Wednesdays: Safe and Speedy Online Shopping*
13 We. 6:30 pm	Word Magic: A Poetry Workshop (Age 9 and up)*
14 Th. 2 pm	Film: *The Pillars of the Earth, Episodes 3 & 4*
14 Th. 6:30 pm	Language Stars Present: A Sweet Celebration of Foreign Language and Cultures (Ages 4-8)*
14 Th. 7 pm	Library Board Meeting
15 Fr. 2 pm	Film: *The Pillars of the Earth, Episodes 5 & 6*

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1 Mo. 2 pm	Download eBooks and Audiobooks*
2 Tu. 11:30 am	Film: *The Adjustment Bureau*
2 Tu. 2 pm	Workforce Investment Act (WIA) Orientation* to register call 847-981-7400 or go to www.workforcencc.com
2 Tu. 2 pm	Getting Started on the Web, Part 3*
2 Tu. 4-5:30 pm	Family Chess and Brain Games
2 Tu. 7 pm	Teen Library Council (TLC)
3 We. 10 am	Getting Started with YouTube*
3 We. 1-3 pm	Video Game Day!
3 We. 1 pm	Senior Center Book Talk: Epistolary Fiction, North Shore Senior Center in Morton Grove, 6140 Dempster
6 Sa. 10 am	Moovin' and Groovin' (Toddlers)*
6 Sa. 10:30 am	Spilled Ink: A Creative Writing Workshop (Grades 3-5)*
6 Sa. 2 pm	LegoLand Discovery Center presents: *Legopalooza* (Ages 4-7)*
6 Sa. 3 pm	LegoLand Discovery Center presents: *Legopalooza* (Ages 7-12)*
7 Su. 2 pm	Film: *Rabbit Hole*
8 Mo. 7 pm	Tech Savvy Mondays: Photography Tips for Beginners*
9 Tu. 11:30 am	Film: *Georgia O'Keefe*
9 Tu. 3 pm	Famished for Fiction
10 We. 1-3 pm	Video Game Day!
10 We. 2 pm	Web Wednesdays: Computer Lab: The Web*
10 We. 4 pm	Teen Screens: *Despicable Me*
11 Th. 7 pm	Library Board Meeting
12 Fr. 4 pm	Kids Flicks: *Rango*
13 Sa. 10-4 pm	Crafty Saturday
13 Sa. 1 pm	DIY Crafts: Knitting*
13 Sa. 2 pm	Film: *Conviction*
14 Su. 2 pm	Concert by the Highland Park Pops and vocalist Angie Lyons
15 Mo. 10 am	Beginning Mouse Workshop*
15 Mo. 7 pm	Mango Club
16 Tu. 11:30 am	Film: *Biutiful*

CALENDAR

To register for programs, go to: calendar.webrary.org; call 847-929-5101, or stop by the Reference Services or Youth Services Desk.

Every Tuesday at 10 am:
Listen Up! Drop-in story time for preschoolers
Every Tuesday at 11:30am:
Movies, Munchies & More! For adults

Every Friday at 11 am:
Wee Read Lapsit for infants from 0–24 mo.

Date & Time	Free Programs
16 Sa. 10 am	Saturday Wee Read (Birth – 24 months)
16 Sa. 2 pm	Film: *The Pillars of the Earth, Episodes 7 & 8*
17 Su. 2 pm	Film: *Made in Dagenham*
18 Mo. 2 pm	Getting Started with YouTube*
19 Tu. 11:30 am	One Away, Economic Security for Older Adults: Film and Discussion
19 Tu. 2 pm	Getting Started on the Web, Part 1*
19 Tu. 4:30 pm	Pokemon Club
19 Tu. 6:30 pm	Friends of the Library Meeting
19 Tu. 7 pm	LitLounge Book Discussion: *A Visit from the Goon Squad*, Curragh Irish Pub, 8266 Lincoln Ave, Skokie
19 Tu. 7 pm	Tunes on Tuesday, Sponsored by the Library, at Harrer Park, 6520 W. Dempster St.
20 We. 1-3 pm	Video Game Day!
20 We. 2-4 pm	Scrabble and Chess for Adults
20 We. 6:30 pm	Word Magic: A Poetry Workshop (Age 9 and up)*
21 Th. 2 & 7 pm	Feature Film: True *Grit*
21 Th. 3 pm	Speed Book Dating (Teen)
21 Th. 7 pm	Download eBooks and Audiobooks*
22 Fr. 10 am	Setting up an E-mail Account – Gmail*

Date & Time	Free Programs
22 Fr. 2 pm	Film: *The Italian*
22 Fr. 2 pm	Computer Lab: Facebook*
23 Sa. 10 am	Get Hooked: Newspaper Roses*
23 Sa 10:30 am	Spilled Ink*
23 Sa. 2 pm	Young Artist Workshop: Tree of Life Project*
24 Su.2 pm	Critics Choice Cinema: *Bad Day to Go Fishing*
25 Mo. 10 am	Digital Camera*
25 Mo. 7 pm	Improv Club
26 Tu. 11:30 am	Film: *It's Kind of A Funny Story*
26 Tu. 2 pm	Getting Started on the Web, Part 2*
26 Tu. 4 pm	Teen Trivia Competition
27 We. 1-3 pm	Video Game Day!
27 We. 6 pm	Gettin' Saucy Teen Cooking Class*
27 We. 6:30 pm	Word Magic: A Poetry Workshop (Age 9 and up)*
28 Th. 9:30-4pm	Job Seeker Workshop*
28 Th. 10 am	Beginning Mouse Workshop*
28 Th. 7 pm	Mr. E Presents: Stories and Puppets from Around the World
29 Fr. 1 pm	The Eyes Have It: Art Class for Adults*
31 Su. 2 pm	Concert by the Kontomble Ensemble

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16 Tu. 2 pm	Introduction to Microsoft Word 2010*
16 Tu. 4:30 pm	Pokemon Club
16 Tu. 6:30 pm	Kindergarten Rocks!*
16 Tu. 6:30 pm	Friends of the Library Meeting
16 Tu. 7 pm	LitLounge book discussion: *Room*, at The Curragh Irish Pub, 8266 Lincoln Ave, Skokie
17 We. 1-3 pm	Video Game Day!
17 We. 2 pm	Scrabble and Chess for Adults
17 We. 7 pm	Improv Club
18 Th. 10 am	Introduction to Microsoft Excel 2010*
18 Th. 2 & 7 pm	Feature Film: *The Lincoln Lawyer*
19 Fr.	CLOSED for staff inservice day
20 Sa. 10 am	Saturday Wee Read (Birth – 24 months)
21 Su. 2 pm	Film: *Never Let Me Go*
22 Mo. 6:30 pm	Kindergarten Rocks!*
22 Mo. 7 pm	Digital Cameras*
23 Tu. 11:30 am	Film: *Morning Glory*
23 Tu. 2 pm	Do More with Word 2010*
24 We. 6 pm	Gettin' Saucy Teen Cooking Class*
25 Th. 9:30 am	Job Seeker Workshop*
25 Th. 10 am	Do More with Excel 2010*
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27 Sa. 10 am	Glenview Martial Arts and Fitness Presents: Little Dragons Taekwondo (Ages 3-5)
27 Sa. 10 am	Get Hooked: Newspaper Roses*
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30 Tu. 11:30 am	Film: *God Grew Tired of Us*
30 Tu. 2 pm	Workforce Investment Act (WIA) Orientation* to register call 847-981-7400 or go to: www.worknetncc.com
30 Tu. 2 pm	Advanced Word 2010*

**Registration required*

JULY FILMS

***True Grit* (1969, G, 127 min.)**
Fri., July 8, 1 pm
*NOTE: the 2010 version of *True Grit* will be shown Thurs., July 21, at 2 & 7 pm
Revenge – drama; based on the book by Charles Portis
Cast: John Wayne, Glen Campbell, Kim Darby, Jeremy Slate, Robert Duvall

Louisa May Alcott: The Woman Behind "Little Women"
(2010, NR, 84 min.)
Tues., July 12, 11:30 am
Biography
Cast: Elizabeth Marvel, Daniel Gerroll, Jane Alexander

The Pillars of the Earth
(2010, NR, 8 episodes: 400 min.)
Two episodes a day will be shown (approx. 100 minutes each day), beginning at 2 pm, on July 13, 14, 15, and 16
Drama – Middle Ages, based on the book by Ken Follett
Cast: Eddie Redmayne, Hayley Atwell, Ian McShane, Matthew MacFadyen, Donald Sutherland

Made in Dagenham
(2011, R, 113 min.)
Sun., July 17, 2 pm
Sex discrimination – drama
Cast: Andrea Riseborough, Jaime Winstone, Lorraine Stanley, Sally Hawkins

Feature Film: *True Grit*
(2010, PG-13, 110 min.)
Thurs., July 21, 2 & 7 pm
*NOTE: The 1969 version of *True Grit* will be shown Fri., July 8, at 1 pm
Revenge – drama; based on the book by Charles Portis
Cast: Jeff Bridges, Hailee Steinfeld, Matt Damon, Josh Brolin

***The Italian* (2007, PG-13, 99 min., in Russian with English subtitles)**
Fri., July 22, 2 pm
Orphans – drama
Cast: Kolya Spiridonov, Maria Kuznetsova, Mikolai Reutov, Yuri Itskov

Critics Choice Cinema: *Bad Day to Go Fishing*
(2009, NR, 110 min., Spanish with English subtitles)
Sun., July 24, 2 pm
Drama: Foreign
Cast: Gary Piquer, Jouko Ahola, Antonella Costa

It's Kind of a Funny Story
(2011, PG-13, 102 min.)
Tues., July 26, 11:30 am
Drama
Cast: Keir Gilchrist, Lauren Graham, Zach Galifianakis, Emma Roberts, Viola Davis

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—Library User

AUGUST FILMS

The Adjustment Bureau
(2011, PG-13, 106 min.)
Tues., Aug. 2, 11:30 am
Thriller, action, suspense
Cast: Matt Damon, Emily Blunt, John Slattery, Anthony Mackie

***Rabbit Hole* (2010, PG-13, 91 min.)**
Sun., Aug. 7, 2 pm
Drama, based on a play by David Lindsay-Abaire
Cast: Nicole Kidman, Aaron Eckhart, Dianne Wiest

***Georgia O'Keeffe* (2010, NR, 89 min.)**
Tues., Aug. 9, 11:30 am
Artists – drama
Cast: Henry Simmons, Joan Allen, Linda Emond, Jeremy Irons, Tyne Daly

***Conviction* (2011, R, 102 min.)**
Sat., Aug. 13, 2 pm
Drama
Cast: Hilary Swank, Melissa Leo, Sam Rockwell, Minnie Driver

***Biutiful* (2011, R, 147 min., Spanish with English subtitles)**
Tues., Aug. 16, 11:30 am
Drama – Barcelona
Cast: Javier Bardem, Maricel Alvarez, Hanaa Bouchaib

Feature Film: *The Lincoln Lawyer*
(2011, R, 119 min.)
Thurs., Aug. 18, 2 & 7 pm
Thriller, crime
Cast: Matthew McConaughey, Marisa Tomei, Ryan Phillippe, Josh Lucas, John Leguizamo

***Never Let Me Go* (2010, R, 104 min.)**
Sun., Aug. 21, 2 pm
Drama
Cast: Andrew Garfield, Charlotte Rampling, Keira Knightley, Sally Hawkins

***Morning Glory* (2011, PG-13, 107 min.)**
Tues., Aug. 23, 11:30 am
Romantic comedy
Cast: Rachel McAdams, Harrison Ford, Diane Keaton, Patrick Wilson, Jeff Goldblum

Critics Choice Cinema: *The Human Resources Manager* (2010, NR, 103 min., Hebrew and Romanian with English subtitles)
Sun., Aug. 28, 2 pm
Drama: Foreign
Cast: Mark Ivanir, Gila Almagor, Reymond Amsalem
WINNER: 5 Israeli Academy Awards including BEST PICTURE

God Grew Tired of Us
(2007, PG, 90 min.)
Tues., Aug. 30, 11:30 am
Refugees: Sudan
Narrated by Nicole Kidman
Cast: Panther Bior, John Bul Dau, Daniel Abol Pach

For details about these films, call the Reference Services Desk at 847-929-5101, go to calendar.webrary.org, or pick up a flyer at the Library.

READERS' CORNER

Leah White, Readers Services Librarian

Welcome to the Reader's Corner! Are you looking for a good book? Then come check out one of our book-centered programs! Whether you are interested in learning about potential new reads or you want to come to discuss our selected book discussion title with other book lovers, the Morton Grove Public Library is your source for what to read next.

BooksTalks

The Readers Services Librarian will be at the **North Shore Senior Center of Morton Grove, 6140 Dempster St.**, for two special book talks. To register, please call: 847-470-5223.

Nonfiction for Fiction Readers

Wed., July 6, 1–2 pm

Are you interested in reading nonfiction but not sure where to start? Do you feel like every nonfiction book you read never quite grabs you the way a fiction book does? Well look no further because these nonfiction books for fiction readers will put you on the right track! And don't forget your library card! Books will be available for checkout.

Epistolary Fiction

Wed., Aug. 3, 1–2 pm

Dear Reader,
Ever wonder what makes a book "epistolary"? These books tell stories through letters or diary entries. There are so many wonderful books written this way, making it a fun and unique genre! Come learn about various epistolary fiction titles and discover all this genre has to offer!
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BOOK DISCUSSION GROUPS

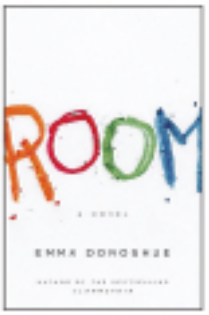
LitLounge

LitLounge is a book group co-sponsored by the Skokie Public Library and the Morton Grove Public Library that meets in the Irish pub, **The Curragh, at 8266 Lincoln Ave., in Skokie.**

A Visit from the Goon Squad
by Jennifer Egan
Tues., July 19, 7 pm

In this award-winning novel, we follow aging punk-rocker turned record executive, Bennie Salazar and Sasha, the troubled young woman who works for him, in a whirling narrative of locations and time periods. From 1970s San Francisco to the future, we learn about the secrets Bennie and Sasha keep from each other and the people they meet along the way.

Room
by Emma Donoghue
Tues., August 16, 7 pm



Jack is a 5-year-old who knows nothing of life outside the Room. He narrates this literary tale, living in a single room along with his mother, not knowing that a man he calls Old Nick is actually holding them captive. This inspirational story tells of a mother's determination to protect her son and what it is like to adjust to society after years of captivity.

All Booked Up and Thinking Out Loud

All Booked Up and Thinking Out Loud, the Library's book discussion groups, are taking the summer off! We will be meeting again starting in September. See you then!

Musica Latina

Sun., July 10, 2 pm

Norman Ruiz and Jeffery Warren perform classical guitar duets by Mario Castelnuovo-Tedesco, Manuel Ponce, Enrique Granados, and Isaac Albeniz. Their repertoire includes music from Spain, Mexico, and Italy.

Scrabble and Chess for Adults

Wed., July 20, 2–4 pm
Wed., Aug. 17, 2–4 pm

Challenge your brain! Adults are invited to play friendly, non-competitive games of chess and Scrabble. Light refreshments are served.

Kontomble Ensemble

Sun., July 31, 2 pm

This ensemble of accomplished percussionists from Northwestern University will perform a concert like no other. You'll learn about a variety of unusual instruments from Africa, Switzerland, France, and the United Kingdom and you'll hear melodic music from around the world.

"The Morton Grove Library has excellent programs and events. I've been coming to the Library with my daughters since they were 18 months old. They love it."

—Library User

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

Craft Supply Swap

Sat., Sept. 10, 9 am – 12 noon

Attention crafters: Do you have leftover craft supplies from your many projects such as yarn, quilting fabric, buttons, stamps, etc.? Would you like to trade those leftovers for other materials you might need for new projects?

You might want to start an inventory of your collections now so that you'll be ready for the Craft Supply Swap sponsored by MGPL and the Village's Dept. of Senior and Family Services at the American Legion Memorial Center on Sat., Sept. 10, from 9 am – noon. For further details or to volunteer, call Nancy Brothers, Coordinator of Programming at the Library: 847-929-5122, or Jackie Walker O'Keefe, Director of the Dept. of Senior and Family Services: 847-663-3071.

ARTS CAMP FOR ADULTS

In response to many requests, a mini-arts "camp" for adults has been scheduled. Participants will have the opportunity to display their artwork in the Baxter Room during the month of August.

Fuzzies and Fluffies

Fri., July 1, 1–3

Learn how to create quick, easy drawings of soft animals on paper using charcoal and pastels. Kris Bougie, an animal portrait artist, will show you techniques to make your drawings come to life. Age 12 and up. Supplies for the class will be provided. Limited to 20. Reg. req.; separate registration for second class: Friday, July 29, 1–3 pm.

All About Alpacas and Art

Tues., July 5, 11:30 am

Attention animal lovers! Learn all about how alpacas and drawing came together for an animal portrait artist. Kris Bougie will delight you with stories about her alpaca herd and about her art, on display in the Baxter Room this month.

The Eyes Have It!

Fri., July 29, 1–3 pm

The eyes are the windows to the soul. Learn how to draw eyes to capture an expression, emotion, or a memory. Kris Bougie returns for a second class of drawing and sketching with charcoal and pastels. Supplies for the class will be provided. (Note: The first class, Fuzzies and Fluffies, will be held July 1 – see above.) Must be age 12 and over. Limited to 20.

Concert: The Highland Park Pops and Vocalist Angie Lyons

Sun., Aug. 14, 2 pm

The ever-popular Highland Park Pops with vocalist Angie Lyons, will perform big band and torch singer songs from the '30s, '40s, and '50s, such as *Cry Me a River, Somewhere Over the Rainbow, The More I See You, Night and Day, Orange Colored Sky* – and more.

Movies, Munchies and More

The Library hosts a weekly program that provides entertainment and education, plus light refreshments every Tuesday, at 11:30 am. You'll hear interesting speakers, see feature films and documentaries, enjoy live music, and meet fascinating people. You can bring your lunch or just enjoy the coffee and munchies. See details about films on p. 10.

All about Alpacas and Art

Tues., July 5, 11:30: see description on p. 12

Film: *Louisa May Alcott: The Woman Behind "Little Women"*

Tues., July 12, 11:30 am

"This is the place to be to study, do research, and check out DVDs on a Friday night."
—Library User

One Away: Economic Security for Older Adults

Tues., July 19, 11:30 am

Maribeth Stein, Outreach Specialist from Age Options, will show two short videos about economic security for senior adults and will lead a discussion about economic security – and insecurity.

Film: *It's Kind of a Funny Story*

(2011, PG-13, 102 min.)
Tues., July 26, 11:30 am

Film: *The Adjustment*

(2011, PG-13, 106 min.)
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Tues., Aug. 23, 11:30 am

Film: *God Grew Tired of Us*

2007, PG, 90 min.)
Tues., Aug. 30, 11:30 am

Knitting for Adults

Mondays at 3 pm

Expert knitter Ronnie Rund has volunteered her capable assistance in unraveling the mysteries of knitting. Bring your own needles and yarn. Beginners can learn how to knit from the pros and the pros can discuss stitches, yarns, and projects.

Get Hooked: Crafts

Create Newspaper Flowers for MGPL's Ballgown Entry in SWANCC's Trashy Fashion Show

Sat., July 23, 10 am
Sat., Aug. 27, 10 am

Join us in creating a ballgown made from newspaper as MGPL's entry in the 2011 Trashy Fashion Show. The focus of this project is to take "garbage" – materials destined for a landfill – and turn them into artistic fashions.

At least 90% of the main outfit must be compiled of found items, reused objects or recyclables (no food waste). Each designer or team must create a main outfit and three complimentary accessories.

The Trashy Fashion Show, sponsored by the Solid Waste Agency of Northern Cook County (SWANCC), will be held on Thursday, November 17, 2011, at 7 pm. Location to be announced at a later date in conjunction with America Recycles Day.

Get Hooked is limited to 20, age 12 and up. Reg. req.

"The Library has everything I read and want."
—Library User

COMPUTER HANDS-ON WORKSHOPS

Melissa Mayberry, Reference/ Technology Instruction Librarian

Do you want to learn how to use a computer and the Internet or are you an experienced user looking to learn something new?

Every month, the Library offers free hands-on workshops covering a wide range of computer topics!

To find out **prerequisites** and to register, check the online calendars at **calendar.webrary.org**, or call the Reference Services Desk at 847-929-5101. Registration starts two weeks before the event date. **Morton Grove library cardholders have priority.**

Beginning Mouse Workshop

Thurs., July 28, 10am
Mon., Aug. 15, 10am

For those with little or no experience using a computer, learn to use a computer mouse.

Download eBooks and Audiobooks

Thurs., July 21, 7 pm
Mon., Aug. 1, 2 pm

Learn how to access, select, and download digital audiobooks and eBooks for free using your library card. This workshop will cover the formats and features of popular eReaders.

NEW! Intro to Digital Cameras

Mon., July 25, 10 am
Mon., Aug. 22, 7 pm

Learn basic camera features, how a digital camera works, and how to download pictures to a computer. **If you have a digital camera, please bring it to the workshop along with its manual and any cables that came with it.**

Web Workshops

Getting Started on the Web, Part 1

Tues., July 19, 2 pm

Attendees will get a basic understanding of the Internet and its related terminology, learn how to enter web addresses (URLs), and navigate webpages.

Getting Started on the Web, Part 2

Tues., July 26, 2 pm

Learn how to navigate between webpages, evaluate information you find on the Web, and do basic searches using Google

Getting Started on the Web, Part 3

Tues., Aug. 2, 2 pm

Learn how use a variety of tools to improve and control searches.

Setting Up an E-mail Account – Gmail

Fri., July 22, 10 am

Attendees will register for a free e-mail account, learn how to compose and send e-mail messages, and manage their e-mail.

E-mail Clinic

Fri., Aug. 26, 10 am

If you have a Gmail, Hotmail or Yahoo! e-mail account, come to this workshop to learn how to send group e-mail messages and how to attach a photo or a document to your e-mail. Attend this class to get answers to your questions about web-based e-mail, and spend some time practicing new skills. Must have an active e-mail account prior to registration.

Getting Started on Facebook

Wed., July 6, 2 pm

Learn how to set up an account and select privacy settings, find friends, and update your status. **Must have an active e-mail account prior to registration.**

Twitter 101

Thurs., July 7, 7 pm

Participants will set up an account, select privacy settings, post tweets, and find people to follow. **Must have an active e-mail account prior to registration.**

NEW! Computer Lab: Facebook

Fri., July 22, 2 pm

For those who have attended *Getting Started on Facebook* or have a Facebook profile page created. Come in to get assistance from a librarian with your questions or problems. **Must have a Facebook account prior to registration.**

NEW! Getting Started with YouTube

Mon., July 18, 2 pm
Wed., Aug 3, 10 am

Attendees will register for a YouTube account, learn how to search for videos, and upload their own videos to this popular video-sharing website. **Must have an active e-mail account prior to registration.**

"We look forward to our frequent trips to the Library. We check out books and use the computers. It's our favorite place outside of our house!"

—Library User

COMPUTER HANDS-ON WORKSHOPS

NEW! Microsoft Office 2010 Workshops

The public computers will be upgraded to the latest version of Microsoft Office during the summer. We are now offering Microsoft Office 2010 workshops; sign up for one to learn the new version!

Introduction to Word 2010
Tues., Aug. 16, 2 pm
Learn how to create, format, proof, print, and save documents using Word 2010.

Do More with Word 2010
Tues., Aug. 23, 2 pm
Learn about page layouts, templates, columns, headers, and more.

Advanced Word 2010
Tues., Aug. 30, 2 pm
Learn how to create tables and charts, and work with clipart. Get tips for creating flyers and greeting cards.

Introduction to Excel 2010
Thurs., Aug. 18, 10 am
Learn fundamental spreadsheet skills: opening a worksheet, entering/editing data, and simple formatting.

Do More with Excel 2010
Thurs., Aug. 25, 10 am
Learn to perform calculations, sort/ filter data, and customize formatting.

JOB SEARCHING
NEW DATES AND TIMES

Workforce Investment Act (WIA) Orientation

Tues., July 12, 2–3:30 pm and 3:30–5 pm
Tues., Aug. 2, 2–3:30 pm and 3:30–5 pm
Tues., Aug. 30, 2–3:30 pm and 3:30–5 pm

The Workforce Investment Act of 1998 provides the framework for a unique national workforce preparation and employment system designed to meet the needs of both job seekers and those who want to further their careers. The most important aspect of the Act is its focus on meeting the needs of businesses for skilled workers and the training, education, and employment needs of individuals. Learn about what services are available and what assistance you qualify for while searching for a job. Presented by Illinois WorkNet. To register, call 847-981-7400 or go to: **http://www.worknetncc.com**

Job Seeker Workshop

Thurs., July 28, 9:30 am–4 pm
Thurs., Aug. 25, 9:30 am–4 pm

All-day Job Seeker Workshops are provided by employment coaches from Illinois WorkNet. Bring your own lunch; coffee and water will be provided. Topics include:

1. Résumé/cover letter: expert guidance on writing résumés and cover letters that get results.
2. Job search techniques: focuses on effective techniques to find jobs in today's market; includes Internet job search tips and networking strategies.
3. Interviewing: get the guidance and direction needed for interview preparation. Review the common questions and learn effective ways to answer them. Mock interviews will be conducted to practice your new-found skills and reinforce others.

For additional information about Illinois WorkNet, call 847-864-3530 or go to **http://www.worknetncc.com**.

Tech Savvy Mondays

NEW! An Introduction to eReaders
Mon., July 11, 7 pm
Thinking about buying an eReader? Come find out what features to look for and try some out in our eReader "Petting Zoo."

NEW! Photography Tips for Beginners
Mon., Aug. 8, 7 pm
Want to take better photos? Learn about camera settings, composition and other techniques that will help you improve your photography skills.

Web Wednesdays

Web Wednesdays workshops address particular Internet topics and problems.

Safe and Speedy Online Shopping
Wed., July 13, 2 pm
Using your computer for shopping can save money, time – and your feet! Learn how to make purchases for gifts or for yourself with security and ease!

Computer Lab: The Web
Wed., Aug. 10, 2 pm
Have you attended a web workshop such as *Getting Started on the Web*? Come in to practice your skills with assistance from a librarian.

Exhibits in July

Baxter Room
Kris Bougie displays charcoal drawings, paintings, and pastels of animals

Lincoln Ave. entry:
Seymour Shedlow displays a portion of his collection of matchbook covers

Exhibits in August

Baxter Room: Adult art students

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Classes, programs, and films are subject to change and may be cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances. Please call the Library at 847-929-5101 (for adult and teen programs) or 847-929-5102 (for children's programs) to confirm scheduled events.

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You asked and we heard – the Morton Grove Public Library has added a subscription to ConsumerReports.org to its collection of premium electronic resources.

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Stop by the Reference Services Desk where the reference librarians will be happy to walk you through accessing and navigating the site. If you have any questions about this or any other electronic resource, call us at 847-965-5101, or e-mail info@webrary.org.

LIBRARY CLOSINGS

Sunday, July 3 and Monday, July 4, for Independence Day
Friday, August 19 for Staff Inservice Day
The building will be closed but online services are available 24/7/365. Go to 24-7.webrary.org.

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